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Hague, October, 9.

'THE following Extract of the Reſolutions paſs'd in the Aſſembly of the States General on the 6th of September, has been lately made publick here: It is not neceſſary to ſay any thing of the occaſion of it, that appearing plainly enough from the Extract it ſelf; I will only tell you that I cannot learn it has yet had the deſired effect in Gelderland.

An Extract from the Regiſter of the Reſolutions of the High and Mighty Lords the States General of the United Netherlands.

Die Jovis, Sep. 6. 1703.

'THE Letter from the new Elected Burgomaſters, and Council of the Town of Aernhem, dated July 25; the Letter of the Eſtates of the Diſtrict of Veluwe, dated Aug. 8; and the Letter of the Eſtates of the County of Zutphen, dated Aug. 17; all of this Year 1703; relating to the preſent diſſentions among the Members and Regents of and in the Province of Gelder, mention'd in the Minutes of the 27th of July, the 11th of Auguſt laſt, and the 3d of this preſent Month of September; being all duly conſider'd: It is judg'd expedient, that a Repreſentation ſhall be made in Writing to the Court of Gelderland, That their High Mightineſſes by their Letters of the 29th of May, and the 20th of July laſt, having offer'd the continuation of their good Offices towards removing and quieting the Diſcontents and Diviſions, which to the prejudice of the Publick Weal of theſe Provinces, are riſen in Gelderland, and eſpecially in the Towns within the Diſtricts of Nimmegen and Veluwe, did with great reaſon well hope and expect, that thoſe their offers and good will, by their interpoſition and kind Offices to unite the contending Parties and reſtore needful Quiet and Harmony, would have been accepted by the one as well as by the other of the diſſenting Parties, and that ſuitable regard would have been had to them; But That their High Mightineſſes to their great Grief of Heart have been given to underſtand, that their well-meant Offers are not yet accepted by one of the Parties; That their High Mightineſſes having no other View, than the Welfare of the State in general, and of the Province of Gelder in particular, could be content to let this matter reſt, were not the Publick Weal intereſted in it, but That the whole State is highly concern'd, that Peace and Union ſhould be re-eſtabliſh'd in the above-mention'd Province, to the end it may be in a fit condition, purſuant to the obligation which the confederated Provinces are under each to other, to concur and contribute to whatever the wellfare and ſupport of the common Country requires; That it is demonſtrable, that by reaſon of the Differences and Diſcontents, which continue and daily increaſe in the above-mention'd Province, and in the Towns of the Diſtricts of Nimmegen and Veluwe, the ſame is not in that fit condition; That no plainer Proof of this need be given, than this, that the ſaid Province has not of a long time, in any Affair, (of how great importance ſoever in it ſelf, and how preſſing ſoever the occaſion has been,) been brought to concur, in the Aſſembly of their High Mightineſſes, in paſſing expedient Reſolutions; and that the ſaid Province has paid much leſs than its due Quota into the Hands of the Receiver General, how earneſt Demands ſoever have been made, and how urgent and notorious ſoever the neceſſity of contributing in fair proportion to the publick charge has been; That if things are ſuffer'd to continue as they are, nothing better is to be expected, ſeeing the Diviſions are run to that heighth that no more orderly Meetings of the Eſtates of Gelderland can be held, by reaſon of which that Province cannot as it ought either concur in giving advice, or contribute in furniſhing means, for the neceſſary Defence of the State, and for maintaining the common and general Weal; That their High Mightineſſes will not at preſent enter into the inquiry, which of the contending Parties is in the right or wrong, chooſing rather to ſuſpend their Judgment, Yet this being apparent, that things cannot ſubſiſt on the Foot they now ſtand, but muſt fall from bad to worſe, and the ſaid Province be rendred utterly uncapable of contributing to the ſupport of the Publick, their High Mightineſſes deem the re-eſtabliſhing of Peace and Union in the above-mention'd Province, to be abſolutely and indiſpenſibly neceſſary; That Union is the Baſis on which the State was erected, and, under God's Gracious Bleſſing, the only one on which it can ſtand; and that this Union muſt be kept up not only among the Members of the general Confederacy, but likewiſe among all the Members of each Province, principally in ſuch a time as this, when the State is involv'd in ſo heavy a War, on the Succeſs of which the ſure Eſtabliſhment or Downfall of the Republick, its Liberty, its Religion, all that Men ſhould Value, wholly depend. That 'tis not ſufficient that Peace and Union may be found in this or that Town, among ſuch as are all of this or that Party, while Diſcord and Contention between the Members of the Province, and among the Regents of the Diſtricts of Nimmegen and Veluwe, appear daily by their Effects; That their High Mightineſſes wiſh nothing more than that theſe Diſſentions had not riſen, or when riſen had without their Interpoſition been quieted; But that this not having happen'd, and the Miſchiefs proceeding from them multiplying daily, their High Mightineſſes, as repreſenting the whole Body, of which the Province of Gelder is a Limb, in Virtue of the *Union*, and the obligation ariſing from it, conceive they are bound, by all good Offices, by friendly, and among the Confederates uſual, Methods of Perſwaſion and Admonition, to labour to reſtore Peace and Harmony, among the Members, and Regents, of and in the above-mention'd Province and Towns, and to that end have ſent Letters into the ſaid Province; That, to their great Grief, thoſe Letters having not had the wiſh'd for Effect, they now deſire, and by theſe Preſents this third time earneſtly intreat, that

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‘ ſome Deputies of the diſagreeing Parties, and of ‘ thoſe that are intereſted in the Alterations made in ‘ the Magiſtracy, may be ſent hither, the ſooner the ‘ better, for the End mention'd in their High Mightineſſes former Letters, namely, to be perſwaded and ‘ induc'd by their High Mightineſſes, or by ſuch ‘ Gentlemen as their High Mightineſſes ſhall appoint, ‘ to terminate their Differences by an amicable Conference and Agreement, or to refer them to the Deciſion of any one of the Judges, or to the Arbitration of any Neutral or third Perſon or Perſons ‘ choſen by mutual conſent of both Parties; That ‘ their High Mightineſſes muſt once more repeat, ‘ that in re-eſtabliſhing Peace and Concord in the ‘ aforeſaid Province they can have no other Aim than ‘ the Wellfare of the State in general, and of that ‘ Province in particular; That they intend, in promoting and effecting it, to employ their Good Offices ‘ with the plaineſt impartiality; That 'tis at all times ‘ neceſſary to put an end to civil Diſſentions, eſpecially ſuch whoſe continuance would draw after it ‘ the Ruine of the Country; That of all the ways of ‘ putting an end to Diviſions, none is better, none ‘ more agreeable to the Conſtitutions of theſe Provinces, than an amicable Treaty and Accommodation, by which Love, Mutual Truſt, and Concord ‘ may be ſetled between the Parties at Variance; ‘ That there cannot be a more natural nor a ſhorter ‘ way to ſuch an Accommodation between the contending Parties, than the Mediation of thoſe, who ‘ by Affection, Intereſt, and Duty, are thoroughly ‘ diſpos'd to promote the common Wellfare of a Province; in which Diſpoſition with reſpect to the Province of Gelder, their High Mightineſſes do now ‘ find themſelves; and as their High Mightineſſes ‘ heartily truſt, that both Parties, as well the one as ‘ the other, have no other Aim than the Wellfare of ‘ their Province, That therefore their High Mightineſſes aſſuredly expect that both the one and the ‘ other, will enter into ſuch ways as will lead to ‘ Peace and Union, without which there can be no ‘ Wellfare, and conſequently that they will not refuſe the well-meaning interpoſition and good Offices of their High Mightineſſes, but immediately ‘ on both ſides ſend Deputies hither; Their High ‘ Mightineſſes having certain hope, that when thoſe ‘ Deputies ſhall come with Inclinations to an Agreement, and bring with them on either ſide a peaceful eaſy tractable Temper, the Aim propos'd may be ‘ obtain'd.

Kingſale, Sept. 24. All the Men of War and Tranſport Ships having on board the Regiments that are to ſerve in Portugal, are getting ready with all Expedition to Sail with the firſt fair Wind. Yeſterday two Soldiers were Shot to Death here for Deſertion.

AT the Theatre Royal in *Drury-Lane*, this preſent *Friday* being the 8th of *October*, will be preſented a Comedy call'd, *The Pilgrim*. With Singing and Danceing, by Mrs. *Campion* and others. And whereas the Audiences have been incommoded by the Plays uſually beginning too late, the Company of the ſaid Theatre do therefore give notice, that they will conſtantly begin at Five a clock without fail, and continue the ſame Hour all the Winter.

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